

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)  
WITHOUT FILING FEE OR EXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION

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Date: March 16, 2001

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This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:  
NITRIDE SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE

without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration.

This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

- ☒ An abstract [one page] together with  
**133** pages of specification and claims including  
**62** numbered claims and also attached is/are  
**6** sheets of accompanying drawings. **Figures 1-17**  
☒ This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s):

Application No.	Country	Filing Date
6-299446	Japan	December 2, 1994
6-299447	Japan	December 2, 1994
6-320100	Japan	December 22, 1994
7-034924	Japan	February 23, 1995
7-057050	Japan	March 16, 1995
7-057051	Japan	March 16, 1995
7-089102	Japan	April 14, 1995

respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

☒ This application is based on the following prior provisional application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date
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respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

☒ Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached.

☒ This application is a ☒ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/069,240, filed April 28, 1998.

☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a ☒ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/069,240, filed April 28, 1998, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

☒ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

☒ Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee.

☒ Also attached: ☒ Information Disclosure Statement ; ☐ Non-Publication Request; ☐ Other:

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